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SUBJECT: PROPOSED U.S.-SINGAPORE INVESTMENT TREATY

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1. IN THE COURSE OF MY DISCUSSION WITH SINGAPORE PRESIDENT SHEARES DURING PRESENTATION OF CREDENTIALS AUGUST 7, HE BRIEFLY RAISED THE SUBJECT OF THE PROPOSED U.S.-SINGAPORE INVESTMENT TREATY. PRESIDENT COMMENTED THAT HE UNDERSTOOD WE WERE "BEHIND SCHEDULE" IN OUR WORK ON THE TREATY. I CONFIRMED THAT WE WERE SOMEWHAT BEHIND SCHEDULE BUT HOPED TO MOVE FORWARD SHORTLY.

2. COMMENT: SINCE PRESIDENT'S ROLE IN SINGAPORE IS LARGELY CEREMONIAL, SEEMS OBVIOUS THAT SINGAPORE GOVERNMENT ASKED HIM TO RAISE THIS POINT WITH ME. THIS SUGGESTS SINGAPOREANS MAY BE GETTING A BIT IMPATIENT. IN OUR RECENT RESPONSE TO PRESS INQUIRIES ON THE TREATY (REFTEL), WE DID NOT INDICATE THAT IT WAS BEHIND SCHEDULE. ASSUME SINGAPOREANS GOT THIS FROM AMBASSADOR COOMARASWAMY IN WASHINGTON.
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